

Cloth From Pineapples.

Aside from its edible qualities the pineapple is little known in this country, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. In China, however, it is especially cultivated for the use of the leaves in making cloth. The fiber is extracted from the leaves by a simple process and made into thread. It is then run on bobbins and spools and is ready for weaving, the old native looms being employed.

Javelle Water.

This water is fine for removing stains. Take one pound of sal soda and five cents' worth of chloride of lime. Put them in an earthen bowl, add two quarts of water and stir. Let it settle, then pour off the water and bottle it. It will remove fruit stains and even indelible ink. Soak till stain disappears; then quickly wash in warm water.

Entire Village of Wood.

The Russian village is built principally of wood and roofed with wood, or with straw and stones. For this reason there are so many fires that, according to statistics, one-fifth of all the peasant cottages burn down every year, or putting it in another way, every house burns down after five years. This seems improbable, but it is reliable information.

Weather Report.

Meteorological Report of Cooperative Observer at Ironton, Iron County, Mo., for the week ending Monday, April 23, 1920:

Days of Week.	Day of Month	Temperature		Precipitation
		Highest	Lowest	
Tuesday	20	75	56	.05
Wednesday	21	82	45	
Thursday	22	72	57	
Friday	23	66	49	
Saturday	24	71	38	.02
Sunday	25	55	49	
Monday	26	70	49	.10

NOTE.—The precipitation includes rain, hail, sleet and melted snow, and is recorded in inches and hundredths. Ten inches of snow equal one inch of rain. "T" indicates trace of precipitation. ARCADIA COLLEGE Observer.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of Des Arc for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business that may come before the meeting, will be held at its banking house, Des Arc, Mo., Saturday, May 8th, 1920, at the hour of 2 p. m. of said day.

April 15, 1920.
NAPOLION A. FARR, President.
A. Z. KINDER, Secretary.

PLANTS FOR SALE.

Sweet Potato, Cabbage and Tomato. Leave order at Gay & Kindell's store, or with D. C. Anderson, two and one-half miles west of Ironton.—Adv.

Car for sale, cheap.
J. F. ROBERTSON, Arcadia, Mo.

PROBATE DOCKET.

Term Docket of the Probate Court, Iron County, Mo., May Term—A. D. 1920.

Monday, May 10th.

Louise Rodach, administratrix of the estate of Mary Rodach, deceased. Final.

E. L. Cook, administrator of the estate of A. S. Wright, deceased. Annual.

Lucy Goodman, administratrix of George L. Goodman, deceased. Annual.

John L. Hickman, guardian and curator of Mary S. Hickman, a minor. Annual.

Tuesday, May 11th.

J. C. Ricketts, administrator of the estate of Arthur G. Ricketts, deceased. Final.

Azariah Martin, guardian and curator of the estate of Harold Sutton, a minor. 15th annual.

William Sutton, guardian and curator of Otto Sutton, a minor. 15th annual.

SAM M. BREWSTER.

Judge of Probate and ex-officio Clerk.

Administrator's Notice.

To Whom It May Concern:
Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration, with will annexed, on the estate of Joseph Immer, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 19th day of April, 1920, by the Probate Court of Iron County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of granting of said letters, they shall be forever barred.

This 19th day of April, 1920.
ANTON C. IMMER,
Administrator with will annexed.
Attest: SAM M. BREWSTER,
Judge of Probate.

Ironton, Mo., April 19, 1920.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss.

COUNTY OF IRON.

I hereby certify that Anton C. Immer was granted Letters of Administration, with will annexed, on the estate of Joseph Immer, deceased, on the 19th day of April, 1920.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set (SEAL) my hand and affixed the seal of said Court this 19th day of April, 1920.

SAM M. BREWSTER,
Judge of Probate and ex-officio Clerk.

TELEGRAM
RECEIVED AT
2 6P QA 14
FY W CHESTER 845AM DEC 21 1918
JOHN BROWN
STATION 25 MEDINA OHIO
SKIMS CLEAN AT ANY SPEED
SHARPLES SEPARATOR CO.

Which Separator did John Brown Buy?

Suppose you were Farmer John Brown and you wanted to buy a separator. You asked several separator manufacturers to send you a *ten-word* telegram, stating in the most convincing way, why their separator was the one you should buy. Sharples would only need *five* words. "Skims clean at any speed," and you would not have to ask for anything further.

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Lopez Store Co., Agents
IRONTON, MO.

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Sheriff's Sale Under Deed of Trust.

Whereas, William A. Wallace, a widower, by his certain deed of trust, dated the nineteenth day of April, 1913, and duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Iron, and State of Missouri, in Book 63, at page 497, did convey to Jacob L. Walden, trustee, the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the County of Iron and State of Missouri, to wit:

The northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirty-four (34), township thirty-two (32) north, range three (3) east, containing forty (40) acres, more or less;

Which conveyance was made in trust to the said Jacob L. Walden to secure the payment of one promissory note therein described;

And, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said promissory note described therein and the said note and interest due thereon are now past due and unpaid; And, whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust, that in case of the absence, death, refusal to act, or disability in anywise, of the said Jacob L. Walden, as trustee, the then acting Sheriff of Iron County, Missouri, shall act in his place and stead, and sell the property described in said deed of trust in case of default;

And, whereas, the said Jacob L. Walden, has removed from the state and also refuses in writing to act as such trustee;

And, whereas, the undersigned Sheriff of Iron County, Missouri, has been requested by the legal owner and holder of said note to exercise the power of sale in him vested by said deed of trust;

Now, therefore, at the request of the legal owner and holder of said note, and in pursuance of the conditions in said deed of trust contained, I, the undersigned, the duly elected, qualified and acting Sheriff of Iron County, Missouri, hereby give notice that I will sell the real estate above described, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, at the east front door of the Court House in the City of Ironton, in the County of Iron, and State of Missouri, on

Monday, the 10th day of May, 1920, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

W. H. BLUE, Sheriff and Trustee.

Ironton, Mo., April 5, 1920.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Louise Rodach, Administratrix of the estate of Mary Rodach, deceased, will make Final Settlement of her accounts with said estate as such Administratrix at the next term of the Probate Court of Iron County, Missouri, to be held at Ironton, in said County, on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1920.